

IC 33-33-48

Chapter 48. Madison County

IC 33-33-48-1**Judicial circuit**

Sec. 1. Madison County constitutes the fiftieth judicial circuit.
As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-2**Establishment of standard superior court**

Sec. 2. (a) There is established a court of record in Madison County to be known as the Madison superior court.

(b) The Madison superior court has three (3) judges.

(c) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, the Madison superior court is a standard superior court as described in IC 33-29-1.
As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-3**Judges; election**

Sec. 3. (a) IC 33-29-1-3 does not apply to this section.

(b) A judge of the Madison superior court shall hold office for six (6) years and until the judge's successor has been elected and qualified.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-4**Chief judge**

Sec. 4. The Madison superior court may designate by rule one (1) of the judges as chief judge and fix the time the chief judge presides. The chief judge shall be responsible for the operation and conduct of the court.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-5**Location of court sessions**

Sec. 5. The Madison superior court shall hold its sessions in the Madison County courthouse or its replacement in Anderson.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-6**Rules**

Sec. 6. The judges of the Madison superior court may make rules for conducting the business of the court.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-7**Personnel**

Sec. 7. In addition to the personnel appointed under IC 33-29-1-5, the Madison superior court may appoint probation officers and other personnel, including an administrative officer, necessary to transact

the business of the court. The salaries of the personnel shall be fixed and paid as provided by law. However, if the salaries of any of the personnel are not provided by law, the amount and time of payment of the salaries shall be fixed by the court, to be paid out of the county treasury by the county auditor upon the order of the court, and be entered of record. The officers and persons appointed shall perform duties as prescribed by the court. Personnel appointed by the court serve at the pleasure of the court.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-8

Jurors

Sec. 8. Notwithstanding IC 33-29-1-8, any judge of the Madison superior court may order the selection and summoning of jurors for the court whenever necessary. Jurors shall serve the entire court and before any judge of the court where their service may be required.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.

IC 33-33-48-9

Dockets

Sec. 9. (a) The Madison superior court shall provide that all cases filed in the court be assigned to a particular docket, such as civil, probate, criminal, juvenile, or small claims. The responsibility for processing the cases on each of these dockets shall be assigned to the judges of the court under the rules adopted by the court.

(b) The chief judge may reassign the court dockets from one (1) judge to another and may alter the number of judges responsible for the various dockets where efficiency demands.

As added by P.L.98-2004, SEC.12.